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Examiner: Matthew C. Graham

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s): Takuhiro KONDOU et al.

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For: ELECTROMAGNETIC SHOCK
ABSORBER FOR VEHICLE

Docket No.: GOT 183

**RESPONSE TO
ELECTION OF SPECIES
REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Election Requirement dated June 28, 2005, applicants elect Species I, the embodiment of Figure 1 for examination. Claims 1, 2, 5, 7, and 10 read on the elected specie. No claim is generic. The election is without traverse.

Applicants maintain the right to filing divisional applications with regard to the non-elected species. Examination of the application on the merits respectfully is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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